FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. H. 4335

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TO: The Honorable Leon Howard, Chairman, House Medical, Military, Public and Municipal

Affairs Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

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SUBJECT: Body Piercing Technician Requirements

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 4335 amends Sections 44-32-50(A) and 44-76-30 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, so as to include the American Health and Safety Council as a certifying agency for body piercing technicians and for training automated external defibrillator (AED) users.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The Department of Health & Environmental Control already regulates body piercing technicians and AED users. There is no additional cost to the agency associated with the enforcement of these provisions. There is no impact on the State General Fund or on Federal and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

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None.

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